

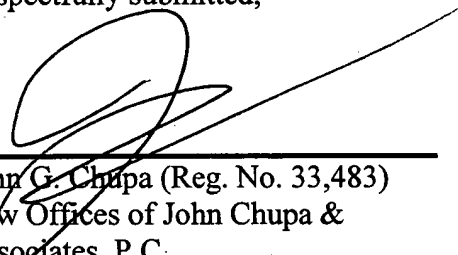


Remarks/Arguments

Claims 1-14 have been canceled and new Claims 14-52 added. Therefore the objection under 35 U.S.C. 112 is moot.

Therefore, the new Claims 14-52 are allowable over the art of record and such allowance is respectfully requested. If there are any further questions regarding this matter, please call the Applicant's undersigned Attorney at (248)-324-7787. Any fees associated with additional claims are to be charged to account number 03-1723 (a duplicate copy of this response is attached). Also attached is the previously executed Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address Indication Form.

Respectfully submitted,



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I, Meredith Valant, do hereby certify that the foregoing Response to Office Action is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, to the Box Response with Fee, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 23rd day of June, 2005.

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Meredith Valant